(c) to (e) The details of the new schemes undertaken during Tenth Five Year Plan are given at Statement (*See* below). No funds could be spent for the implementation of new schemes proposed for the Tenth Five Year Plan.

Statement

Funds for women and child development

The Details of the new schemes undertaken during the Tenth Five Year Plan period :

1. **CREME — DFID — Assisted Credit and Micro-Enterprise Training Project**

   The Project was proposed to enhance the training capacity of the implementation of Swayamsidha (The project has been dropped *w.e.f.* 2003-04)

2. **CIDA Assisted Project** — The project aimed at holistic empowerment of women including economic empowerment (The project has been dropped *w.e.f.* 2003-04).

3. **National Nutrition Mission (NNM)** — NNM was set up with the objective of addressing the problem of malnutrition in a mission mode and enable policy direction and effective intersectoral coordination.

4. **Scheme on Rescue of Trafficked Women** —The scheme was started during the year 2004-05 for prevention, rescue and rehabilitation of Trafficked Women.

Financial assistance for IEDC in Karnataka

1482. SHRIMATI PREMA CARIAPPA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether a proposal from the Government of Karnataka for financial assistance under the Centrally sponsored scheme of Integrated Education for the Disabled Children (IEDC) Scheme for 2004-05 is pending with Government;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the amount sought by the State Government and the amount released by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) During the last financial year (2004-05), this Department had received a proposal from the State Government of Karnataka for implementation of the scheme of Integrated Education for the Disabled Children (IEDC) through 118 NGOs and District Institutions of Education and Training (DIETs). An amount of Rs. 10,71,48,494/- was approved. A sum of Rs. 5,35,74,247/- was released as first instalment in four releases on 8th October, 2004, 22nd November, 2004, 13th February, 2005, and 7th March, 2005.

Health Education

1483. SHRI URKHAO GWRA BRAHMA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are considering introduction of Health Education in higher classes of schools and colleges;

(b) if so, by when it is going to be formalized·

(c) whether food and nutrition will also be a f the subjects of the Health Education;

(d) whether the health problem of women and children of growing age would be given more importance; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI) : (a) and (b) Health & Physical Education has been a compulsory subject in schools upto secondary stage and an optional subject at the higher secondary stage. There is, however, no proposal for inroduction of Health Education in higher classes at colleges and universities.